

COUNCIL ON FOREIGN RELATIONS, INC.
THE HAROLD PRATT HOUSE 58 EAST 68TH STREET
NEW YORK 21, N.Y.

November 21, 1952

Dear Allen:

I am enclosing the following documents for consideration at the meeting of the Board of Directors on Tuesday, November 25, at 4:00 o'clock.

1. Report of the Committee on Policy
2. Report of the Committee on Membership
3. Proposed budgets for the year 1952-1953
4. Minutes of the last two meetings of the Board

The Policy Committee has written its report in the form of a Report to the Membership from the Board of Directors, on the theory that such a report would eventually have to be sent to the membership as background for the necessary fund-raising and that it would save time to have the document in this form from the start, even though the Board may wish to make substantial revisions.

There are two activities presently conducted by the Council on the continuation of which not all members of the Committee are in agreement - "The United States in World Affairs" and the pamphlets resulting each year from questionnaires sent to members of the Committees on Foreign Relations on an important aspect of foreign policy. A memorandum by Mr. Bidwell on "The United States in World Affairs" will be sent to you before the Board meeting. You will note that financial statements for the past year and the detailed budgets for 1952-53 have not been included in the Report of the Policy Committee. The Committee did not approve of the forms presently used. Proposed new forms will be submitted to you at the Board meeting.

I am also sending you herewith the galley proofs of the Council's Annual Report for 1951-52 which have not been corrected for typographical errors. If there are any changes you believe should be made, I hope you will let me know.

I apologize for the mimeographed letter.

Very sincerely,



George S. Franklin, Jr.
Acting Executive Director

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